NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE Docket Number 8075-1055 BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES Applicant(s): 2418 Tadahiro OHMI et al. Conf.: Application #: 09/889,269 Filed: March 5, 2002 Title: METAL MATERIAL HAVING FORMED THEREON CHROMIUM OXIDE, PASSIVE FILM AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND PARTS CONTACTING WITH FLUID AND SYSTEM FOR SUPPLYING FLUID AND EXHAUSTING GAS Examiner: C. Simone Group Art Unit: 1783 Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated May 11, 2011 rejecting the following claims: 5, 6, 9, 13-16 and 18-21. The fee for this Notice of Appeal is: \$540.00 If I have checked one of the boxes below, then this is also a petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to reply to the rejection: Extension of time requested for: Non-small entity fee for extension of time: ☐ - 1 Month \$130.00 - 2 Months \$490.00 - 3 Months \$1 110 00 - 4 Months (if available) \$1.730.00 The sum of the fee for the Notice of Appeal and the fee for any extension of time is: \$670.00 П Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore. the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \Box A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. M The required filing fees are being paid simultaneously herewith by credit card. M The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees, deficiency, or credit any overpayment which may be required, to our credit card or Deposit Account No. 25-0120 Respectfully submitted. YOUNG & THOMPSON /Robert A. Madsen/ Robert A. Madsen, Reg. No. 58,543 209 Madison Street, Suite 500 Alexandria, VA 22314 Telephone (703) 521-2297 Telefax (703) 685-0573 (703) 979-4709

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